

**INCIDENT/INVESTIGATION
REPORT**

<p>Agency Name <i>Ft Lauderdale Police Department</i></p> <p>ORI <i>FL0060300</i></p> <p>Location of Incident <i>2319 DE SOTA DR, Fort Lauderdale FL 33301</i></p>	Case# 34-2009-148565										
<p>I N C I D</p> <p>E N T</p> <p>D A T A</p> <p>MO</p>	Date / Time Reported 09/27/2020 15:36 Sun										
<p>Gang Relat NO</p> <p>Premise Type Victim Single Family</p>	Last Known Secure 09/27/2020 15:00 Sun										
<p>Zone/Tract 3414</p>	At Found 09/27/2020 15:30 Sun										
<p>#1 Crime Incident(s) (Com) <i>Baker/marchman Act BAKE</i></p> <p>#2 Crime Incident ()</p> <p>#3 Crime Incident ()</p>											
<p>Weapon / Tools NOT APPLICABLE</p> <p>Entry Exit Security</p> <p>Weapon / Tools</p> <p>Entry Exit Security</p> <p>Weapon / Tools</p> <p>Entry Exit Security</p>											
<p>Activity</p> <p>Activity</p> <p>Activity</p>											
<p># of Victims 1 Type: INDIVIDUAL (NOT A LE OFFICER) Injury: 0 Domestic: N</p>											
<p>Victim/Business Name (Last, First, Middle) V1 PARSCALE, BRADLEY JAMES</p>		Victim of Crime # 1, 01/03/1976 Age 44	Race W	Sex M	Relationship To Offender	Resident Status	Military Branch/Status				
<p>Home Address <i>2319 DESOTA DR , Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301-</i></p>		Home Phone 210-262-3200									
<p>Employer Name/Address</p>					Business Phone	Mobile Phone 210-262-3200					
<p>VYR Make Model Style Color Lic/Lis</p>		VIN									
<p>CODES: V- Victim (Denote V2, V3) O = Owner (if other than victim) R = Reporting Person (if other than victim)</p>											
<p>Type: INDIVIDUAL (NOT A LE OFFICER) Injury:</p>											
<p>Code Name (Last, First, Middle) IO PARSCALE, BRADLEY JAMES</p>		Victim of Crime # 01/03/1976 Age 44	Race W	Sex M	Relationship To Offender	Resident Status	Military Branch/Status				
<p>Home Address <i>2319 DESOTA DR FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301</i></p>		Home Phone 210-262-3200									
<p>Employer Name/Address</p>					Business Phone	Mobile Phone 210-262-3200					
<p>Type: INDIVIDUAL (NOT A LE OFFICER) Injury:</p>											
<p>Code Name (Last, First, Middle) IO PARSCALE, CANDICE</p>		Victim of Crime # 12/22/1978 Age 41	Race W	Sex F	Relationship To Offender	Resident Status	Military Branch/Status				
<p>Home Address <i>2319 DE SOTA DR FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301</i></p>		Home Phone 210-723-7095									
<p>Employer Name/Address</p>					Business Phone	Mobile Phone					
<p>L = Lost S = Stolen R = Recovered D = Damaged Z = Seized B = Burned C = Counterfeit / Forged F = Found ("OJ" = Recovered for Other Jurisdiction)</p>											
<p>VI #</p> <p>P R O P E R T Y</p>	Code	Status Frm/Td	Value	OJ	QTY	Property Description		Make/Model		Serial Number	
	19	SAFE	\$0.00	1		<i>BERETTA SHOTGUN</i>				AG108572	
	19	SAFE	\$0.00	1		<i>HANDGUN</i>				1506904	
	19	SAFE	\$0.00	1		<i>SMALL REVOLVER</i>		.22/			PG43870
	19	SAFE	\$0.00	1		<i>HANDGUN</i>				WCT38281	
	19	SAFE	\$0.00	1		<i>HANDGUN</i>				ZZW482	
	19	SAFE	\$0.00	1		<i>HANDGUN</i>				NCP24614	
	19	SAFE	\$0.00	1		<i>DANIEL DEFENSE RIFLE</i>				DDM4082353	
	19	SAFE	\$0.00	1		<i>REMINGTON RIFLE</i>				RR91892A	
	19	SAFE	\$0.00	1		<i>SHOTGUN</i>				RF238971	
	19	SAFE	\$0.00	1		<i>HANDGUN</i>				ZUR637	
<p>Officer/ID# <i>Skaggs, Timothy J (PATR, PATR) (1904)</i></p>											
Invest ID# (0)						Supervisor <i>Graves, Nicole M (PATR, PATR) (1754)</i>					
Status Complainant Signature		Case Status Active		09/27/2020		Case Disposition:		Page 1			

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Additional Name List

Name	Code/#	Name (Last, First, Middle)	Victim of Crime #	DOB	Age	Race	Sex
1)	IO	3 BETHAL, TERRY				W	F
Address		1008 NW MIDDLE RIVER , FORT LAUDERDALE, FL	H:	954-873-6900			
Empl/Addr			B:	- - -			
			Mobile #:	- -			

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Status Codes L = Lost S = Stolen R = Recovered D = Damaged Z = Seized B = Burned C = Counterfeit / Forged F = Found

	UCR	Status	Quantity	Type Measure	Suspected Type	Up to 3 types of activity
D						
R						
U						
G						
S						

Assisting Officers

Suspect Hate / Bias Motivated:

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NARRATIVE

REPORTING OFFICER NARRATIVE

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Victim PARSCALE, BRADLEY JAMES	Offense BAKER/MARCHMAN ACT	Date / Time Reported Sun 09/27/2020 15:36
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On today's date and time, Officer Loveras and I, Officer Skaggs were dispatched to 2319 Desota Dr. in reference to a suicide attempt in which the reportee stated her husband possibly shot himself. Upon arrival, I made contact with Terry Bethal (realtor) and Candace Parscale, reportee (wife) who were sitting in a parked motor vehicle in front of the residence. Candace advised after a verbal altercation, Bradley manipulated his slide to the rear loading his firearm in front of her. Candace immediately fled residence and stated she heard a loud bang shortly after. Candace stated that they realized that Bradley did not shoot himself when they heard Bradley ranting and pacing around the residence and the dog barking frantically. However, they were concerned that Bradley might still try to shoot himself, due to him being in possession of several firearms and refusing to vacate the residence.

While on scene, I made contact with Bradley via landline several times and attempted to have him vacate the residence; however, he declined and remained inside the residence. Bradley's speech was slurred as though he was under the influence of an alcoholic beverage and he seemed to be crying. Due to his refusal exit the residence on his own free will and his emotional state, crisis negotiators were requested by Sgt. Graves in addition to FLPD SWAT personnel.

I made contact with Candace, who stated that Bradley has been stressed out for the past two weeks and has made suicidal comments throughout the week to shoot himself. Bradley did not make any suicidal comments today however Candace was concerned for his safety. Candace advised Bradley drinks and he "suffers from PTSD". While speaking with Candice I observed several bruises on both arms (photographs were taken and uploaded into evidence.com) which she advised occurred a few days ago, during a physical altercation with Bradley, which she did not report.

I continued to make landline with Bradley, who advised several times that he would not exit the residence without speaking to his wife Candace. With the assistance of Ofc. C. Wilson, Bradley was convinced to exit the residence and was placed into custody by FLPD SWAT personnel. (See Supplements)

Officer Guzman took possession of Bradley's ten firearms and entered them into evidence.com. I took photographs of Bradley's body and observed injuries that he advised occurred several days ago none in relations to this incident and PD; which were still uploaded into evidence.com. I provided Candice with a case number and instructions on how to obtain the report. Fort Lauderdale Police Department Sgt. Gaffey was notified regarding the incident. Bradley advised that he is not on any medication nor does he suffer from any medical illnesses. Bradley stated that he has never been Baker Act in the past. I feel without medical attention Bradley's safety is at risk and others as well. Based on Bradley's violent behavior, his alcohol consumption, his agitated mental state of mind and his previous comments of suicide, I, transported Bradley to BGH Baker Act Unit to undergo treatment.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing and that the facts stated therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Electronically Signed: Officer T. Skaggs #1904 Date:09-27-20
The incident was captured on BWC

Incident Report Related Property List

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1	Property Description BERETTA SHOTGUN			Make		Model			Caliber
	Color Black/Silver	Serial No. AG108572	Value \$0.00	Qty 1.000	Unit	Jurisdiction Locally			
	Status Safekeeping	Date 09/27/2020	NIC #	State #	Local #		OAN		
	Name (Last, First, Middle) Parscale, Bradley James			DOB 01/03/1976	Age 44	Race W	Sex M		

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2	Property Description HANDGUN			Make		Model			Caliber
	Color	Serial No.	Value	Qty	Unit	Jurisdiction			
		1506904	\$0.00	1.000		Locally			
	Status Safekeeping	Date 09/27/2020	NIC #	State #	Local #		OAN		

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3	Property Description SMALL REVOLVER			Make		Model			Caliber
	Color	Serial No.	Value	Qty	Unit	Jurisdiction			
	Silver	PG43870	\$0.00	1.000		Locally			
	Status Safekeeping	Date 09/27/2020	NIC #	State #	Local #		OAN		

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4	Property Description HANDGUN			Make		Model			Caliber
	Color	Serial No.	Value	Qty	Unit	Jurisdiction			
	Black	WCT38281	\$0.00	1.000		Locally			
	Status Safekeeping	Date 09/27/2020	NIC #	State #	Local #		OAN		

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5	Property Description HANDGUN			Make		Model			Caliber
	Color Black	Serial No. ZZW482	Value \$0.00	Qty 1.000	Unit	Jurisdiction		Locally	
Status Safekeeping	Date 09/27/2020	NIC #	State #	Local #		OAN			
Name (Last, First, Middle) Parscale, Bradley James				DOB	Age	Race	Sex		

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6	Property Description HANDGUN			Make		Model			Caliber
	Color Black	Serial No. NCP24614	Value \$0.00	Qty 1.000	Unit	Jurisdiction		Locally	
Status Safekeeping	Date 09/27/2020	NIC #	State #	Local #		OAN			
Name (Last, First, Middle) Parscale, Bradley James				DOB	Age	Race	Sex		

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7	Property Description DANIEL DEFENSE RIFLE			Make		Model			Caliber
	Color Black	Serial No. DDM4082353	Value \$0.00	Qty 1.000	Unit	Jurisdiction		Locally	
Status Safekeeping	Date 09/27/2020	NIC #	State #	Local #		OAN			
Name (Last, First, Middle) Parscale, Bradley James				DOB	Age	Race	Sex		

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8	Property Description REMINGTON RIFLE			Make		Model			Caliber
	Color Black	Serial No. RR91892A	Value \$0.00	Qty 1.000	Unit	Jurisdiction		Locally	
Status Safekeeping	Date 09/27/2020	NIC #	State #	Local #		OAN			
Name (Last, First, Middle) Parscale, Bradley James				DOB	Age	Race	Sex		

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9	Property Description SHOTGUN			Make		Model			Caliber
	Color	Serial No. RF238971	Value \$0.00	Qty 1.000	Unit	Jurisdiction Locally			
Status Safekeeping	Date 09/27/2020	NIC #	State #	Local #		OAN			
Name (Last, First, Middle) Parscale, Bradley James					DOB 01/03/1976	Age 44	Race W	Sex M	

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10	Property Description HANDGUN			Make		Model			Caliber
	Color	Serial No. ZUR637	Value \$0.00	Qty 1.000	Unit	Jurisdiction Locally			
Status Safekeeping	Date 09/27/2020	NIC #	State #	Local #		OAN			
Name (Last, First, Middle) Parscale, Bradley James					DOB 01/03/1976	Age 44	Race W	Sex M	

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Case Status: ACTIVE**Case Mng Status:** NA**Occurred:** 09/27/2020**Offense:** BAKER/MARCHMAN ACT**Investigator:** MOCERI, MATTHEW R (1552)**Date / Time:** 09/27/2020 18:10:03, Sunday**Supervisor:** GRAVES, NICOLE M (1754)**Supervisor Review Date / Time:** 09/27/2020 19:23:59, Sunday**Contact:****Reference:** Bwc, Viewed And Affidavit

On the above date, due to a call for On-duty SWAT operators in reference to an armed barricaded subject inside a residence, I responded to 2319 Desoto Dr. Upon arrival, I was informed that the subject (Parscale) was believed to still be armed. I was also advised that the subject racked the slide of a handgun in the face of his wife who was also on-scene, putting her in fear for her safety, and made multiple statements in reference to killing himself. The subject's wife also believed he had fired a round out of that handgun while inside the house also.

I was assigned to an (IAT) Immediate Action Team with other SWAT operators including; Ofc. J. Hayes, Ofc. B. Paulino, Ofc. D. Miller, and TL Det. S. Smith. We were staged to the north of the target location. Once FLPD negotiators were able to get the subject to exit the residence and walk towards the street, On-scene SWAT Commander Lt. Figueras, gave the command for the IAT to move in and physically detain the subject. I then stepped through a wooded area and began to give loud verbal commands to the subject, approximately 5 times, "get on the ground." I was dressed in full police uniform including full police reflective patches and insignias. The subject made eye contact with me and did not comply with any of the commands as I approached him. Due to the subject disobeying my lawful commands coupled with the subject being substantially larger than I am, Subject approx 6'6" and wearing shorts with pockets that could easily conceal a firearm, I initiated a double leg takedown. I lowered my level and wrapped both arms around the subject's lower body while applying forward pressure to his mid section with my forehead. This caused the subject to first sit to the ground and then lay flat on his back. Other operators from the IAT moved in and the subject was rolled over and subsequently handcuffed by SWAT Operator B. Paulino. Once handcuffed, the subject was placed into a recovery position and immediately stood up. The subject, as well as officers did not appear to suffer any injuries during this physical interaction. Also noted multiple firearms were recovered from inside the residence.

This incident was captured on my BWC.

The content of this document is based on information obtained during the course of my investigation, my observations of the incident and a review of the recording captured by a body worn camera system

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing and that the facts stated therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Electronically Signed: Sgt. M. Moceri/ 1552 Date: 9/27/2020



Investigator Signature



Supervisor Signature

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Case Status: ACTIVE**Case Mng Status:** NA**Occurred:** 09/27/2020**Offense:** BAKER/MARCHMAN ACT**Investigator:** GUZMAN, VICTOR A (1965)**Date / Time:** 09/27/2020 19:17:19, Sunday**Supervisor:** GRAVES, NICOLE M (1754)**Supervisor Review Date / Time:** 09/27/2020 22:09:31, Sunday**Contact:****Reference:** Assisting Officer

I Ofc. Guzman (1965) responded to 2319 Desota Dr in reference to a Baker Act. Upon arrival, I took a perimeter point in order to assist with stopping traffic from entering the operation area. After Bradley Parscale, was taken into custody, I photographed Parscale's wife to document previous domestic violence history on my department issued tablet. She had several bruises on both of her arms as well as scratches and bruising on her face. I also collected and photographed 10 firearms from inside the residence, including three long guns, and entered them into FLPD Evidence for safekeeping. Parscale was eventually taken to Broward General Medical Center for a medical evaluation. This concludes my involvement. NFI.

The content of this document is based on information obtained during the course of my investigation, my observations of the incident and captured by a body worn camera system.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing and that the facts stated therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Electronically Signed: Officer V. Guzman #1965 Date: 09/27/2020

Investigator Signature

Supervisor Signature



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Occurred: 09/27/2020

Offense: BAKER/MARCHMAN ACT

Investigator: SMITH, STEVEN S (1646)

Date / Time: 09/27/2020 21:07:08, Sunday

Supervisor: GRAVES, NICOLE M (1754)

Supervisor Review Date / Time: 09/27/2020 22:36:35, Sunday

Contact:

Reference: Bwc And Affidavit

On this date and time, this detective was currently working in a SWAT capacity for an unrelated event within the City of Fort Lauderdale. I have been employed with the City of Fort Lauderdale Police Department for 13+ years and assigned to the SWAT Team for 11+ years, where I currently hold the position of team leader.

At approximately 1545 hours an on-duty SWAT callout was requested at the residence of 2319 Desoto Drive where an armed subject was suicidal and barricaded. I immediately notified the A/SWAT Commander and XO to the SWAT Team, Lt. Figueras, of the incident and he advised he would be enroute.

Upon arrival, I made contact with the supervisor on scene, Sgt. Graves, and Candace Parscale, the wife of the subject in question, Brad Parscale. At this time I learned from Candace Parscale that Brad Parscale has been depressed and suicidal recently. This has led him to consume alcohol a lot more frequently and make suicidal statements. However, today escalated when Candace Parscale advised that Brad Parscale was drunk and they were having an arguement when Brad Parscale took possession of one of his firearms, racked the slide, loading it right in his wife's presence. Candace Parscale became so afraid for her safety that she immediately fled the residence on foot with no cell phone or belongings. Candace Parscale also claimed that Brad Parscale made suicidal comments during their argument and when he was in possession of the firearm. After leaving the residence on foot she claimed to hear a possible gun shot from within the residence, but later stated it could have been a car back firing from down the street. Candace Parscale then made contact with an indepedent witness, Terry Behal, a couple houses down. I privately spoke with Terry Behal who coroborated Candace Parscale's story advising she did not witness the confrontation but gave credibility to the consistent story line and also witnessing the bruising on Candace Parscale. Candace Parscale also confirmed there are at least 5 different guns in the house that range from pistols to rifles.

While speaking with Candace Parscale I noticed several large sized contusions on both of her arms, her cheek and forehead. When I asked how she received the brusing, Candace Parscale stated Brad Parscale hits her. When asked if he made these markings today, she claimed he did not. I continued to ask if Brad Parscale physically assaulted her in anyway today and she said no, but he did forcibly smack her phone out of her hand when she was attempting to call Brad Parscale's father.

I relayed this information to Lt. Figueras and it was evident that Candace Parscale could not safely be left with Brad Parscale due to his potential for violence to her and/or himself.

I then established overwatch and an Immediate Action Team (IAT) that had less lethal capabilities and a SWAT medic attached to it. Officer Skaggs was already on-scene and attempting to establish a rapport with Brad Parscale via phone. As I listened to Officer Skaggs attempt to de-escalate the situation with Brad Parscale I could hear him answer in a loud, aggressive and agitated tone that he will not exit his residence. Shortly thereafter, on-duty negotiators arrived on-scene and took over communications.

At one point, negotiators convinced Brad Parscale to exit his residence but he would not come past his front door and he eventually retreated back inside. During these negotiations Brad Parscale appeared aggressive as he consistantly spoke in a yelling and highly agitated tone and would not meet with officers away from his residence.

Shortly thereafter, Officer Wilson arrived on-scene, established a rapport with Brad Parscale, and convinced him to meet him at the street of the residence. I then linked-up with the IAT in the case we had the opportunity to detain him. As Brad Parscale made his way to the street I observed him to be wearing no shirt, but had shorts on with pockets. At this time Lt. Figueras advised for the IAT to move in and I reiterated the order to the IAT. As the IAT approached Brad Parscale I could hear numerous verbal commands come from the operators for Brad Parscale to

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get on the ground. After refusing to comply to the commands operators physically brought him to the ground to establish control and place him into custody. After being placed into custody without incident, operators immediately placed him into the recovery position and helped him to his feet.

Brad Parscale was very agitated with the situation and I could smell a strong odor from his breathe and body that I recognized to possibly be from alcoholic beverages. Brad Parscale was patted down and no weapons were located on his person. He was then turned over to officers for a Baker Act.

It should be noted that one of Brad Parscale's firearms that was recovered within the residence was small enough to be concealed in a pocket.

This incident was captured on my BWC.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing and that the facts stated therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Electronically Signed: Det. S. Smith Date: 09/27/2020



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On 09-27-2020 I received a phone call from a friend who advised that our mutual friend Brad was at his house and had the SWAT team there for some reason. I had just finished working a protest and was on my way toward the beach when I received this call. I responded to the area of Brad's house and made contact with Lieutenant Figueras who was on scene. I advised Lieutenant Figueras that Brad was a personal friend of mine and asked if they needed my assistance in speaking with him. I was advised that Brad was refusing to come out of his house to speak with them after threatening his wife with a gun.

I called Brad on the phone and asked if he would come out and speak with me. Brad advised that he would come outside and speak with me if I came to his house. I advised Lieutenant Figueras that Brad agreed to come out and speak with me. While speaking about this someone advised that Brad had exited his house and was sitting on the front steps. I walked to the end of Brad's driveway and called to Brad for him to walk out to the roadway and speak with me. Brad complied and walked out to the end of his driveway and we began talking. Brad was drinking a beer and was clearly intoxicated at this time. While speaking with Brad the SWAT team moved in and Brad was taken into custody.

Brad was escorted over to a patrol vehicle and sat inside. I spoke with Brad for a few minutes and I asked him if he wanted me to get him a pair of shoes and a shirt. Brad asked for his phone and advised me where he keeps his guns in the house.

I went into the house with Candice Brad's wife and two other officers. Candice showed us where the guns were and got a pair of shoes, a shirt and cell phone for Brad. I helped secure the weapons that were in the house and then brought Brad his phone, shirt and shoes.

This completes my involvement in this incident.

The content of this document is based on information obtained during the course of my investigation, my observations of the incident and a review of the recording captured by a body worn camera system.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing and that the facts stated therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Electronically Signed: C. Wilson 1516

Date: 09-27-20



Investigator Signature



Supervisor Signature